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SUMMARY: FEDERATION OF LABOUR (FOL) IS INTERESTED IN PROVIDING SUBSTANTIVE TRAINING EXPERIENCE IN THE AREA OF COLLECTIVE BARGAINING RESEARCH AND TECHNIQUES FOR ITS ASSISTANT RESEARCH OFFICER. DEPARTMENT'S AND DOL/ILAB'S ADVICE ON APPROPRIATE ACADEMIC PROGRAMS WOULD BE APPRECIATED. END SUMMARY.

1. FEDERATION OF LABOUR HAS AGREED TO FUND (IN AMOUNT OF DOLS 5-6000) DURING THE COMING YEAR A THREE TO FOUR MONTH TRAINING PROGRAM FOR ITS ASSISTANT RESEARCH OFFICER, MS. VIRGINIA BRANNEY. FOL OFFICER HAS DESCRIBED FEDERATION'S INTEREST AS THE SUBSTANTIVE AND ACADEMIC PREPARATION OF MS. BRANNEY IN COLLECTIVE BARGAINING RESEARCH, DATA ORGANIZATION AND TECHNIQUES, USE OF COMPUTERS IN COLLECTIVE BARGAINING, ETC. MS. BRANNEY HAS A MASTERS DEGREE IN SOCIAL HISTORY AND A "REASONABLE" AMOUNT OF ECONOMICS.

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2. HARVARD TRADE UNION PROGRAM HAS BEEN SUGGESTED TO FOL. WHILE FEDERATION IS NOT AVERSE TO HTUP, FOL FEELS THAT MS. BRANNEY WOULD BENEFIT MORE FROM A SPECIALIZED RATHER THAN GENERALIZED TRADE UNION TRAINING. LABATT HAS ONLY SKETCHY INFO ABOUT SEVERAL OTHER ACADEMIC PROGRAMS RUN BY SUCH SCHOOLS AS RUTGERS, UNIV. OF WISCONSIN, AND CORNELL. PROGRAMS AT AFL-CIO GEORGE

MEANY CENTER WERE SUGGESTED AS A POSSIBILITY.

3. LABATT WOULD APPRECIATE DEPARTMENT'S AND DOL/ILAB'S SUGGESTIONS FOR POSSIBLE PROGRAMS, INCLUDING WHERE APPROPRIATE DIRECTORS' NAMES AND ADDRESSES. ESSENTIAL POINTS AGAIN ARE: (A) BRANNEY IS WELL-EDUCATED; (B) EMPHASIS SHOULD BE ON COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AND

DISPUTES SETTLEMENT, AND PARTICULARLY ON THE ROLE IN COLLECTIVE BARGAINING OF RESEARCH TECHNIQUES, DATA COLLECTION AND USE, ETC; (C) FOL WILL FUND FOR 3-4 MONTH PERIOD; (D) TIMING IS NOT CRITICAL, I.E., ANY TIME WITHIN THE COMING YEAR. HEALY

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